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PUBLIC MEETING MINUTES:	Board of Speech Pathologists, Audiologists, and Hearing Aid Dispensers
MEETING DATE AND TIME:	Tuesday, February 20, 2018 at 2:00 p.m.
PLACE:	861 Silver Lake Boulevard, Dover, Delaware Conference Room B , second floor of the Cannon Building
MINUTES APPROVED:	May 15, 2018

MEMBERS PRESENT

Meredith Sullivan, Professional Member
Dr. Kiijuana Cann, Professional Member
Dr. Danielle Inverso, Professional Member
Brian Whitaker, Public Member
Tonya Coats, Professional Member

MEMBERS ABSENT

Natalie Sparks, Professional Member

DIVISION STAFF

Jennifer Singh, Deputy Attorney General
Karen Carn, Administrative Specialist II

ALSO PRESENT

Jacqueline Truluck – University of Delaware
Christine Cook

CALL TO ORDER

Ms. Sullivan called the meeting to order at 2:08 p.m.

REVIEW OF MINUTES

The Board reviewed the meeting minutes from the October 17, 2017 meeting. Ms. Coats made a motion, seconded by Dr. Cann, to approve the minutes as written. By unanimous vote, the motion carried.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

Tabled discussion: Discussion of Application Documents
The Board tabled this discussion until the next meeting

Continued Discussion: ASHA Certification Requirements for Licensure
The Board tabled this discussion until the next meeting.

Signing of Final Order – Revisions to Regulations

Board members signed final order for Telepractice

NEW BUSINESS

Continuing Education – Review of Submitted Activities

Ms. Coates made a motion, seconded by Dr. Inverso, to approve the following continuing education activities submitted for review. By unanimous vote, the motion carried.

Licensee: Michelle Hersh

Sponsor: Ignite Learning LLC

Program Title: Creating Safe Brain Smart Classrooms – Conscious Discipline

Requested Contact Hours: 5.0 PG

Sponsor: ACCESS Project – Center for Disabilities Studies – UD

Program Title: Introductory 2 day Pragmatic Organization Dynamic Display Course (PODD)

Requested Contact Hours: 13 CS

Licensee: Elizabeth Lucas

Sponsor: Autism and Educational Diagnosis, LLC

Program Title: Autism Diagnostic Observation Schedule – 2 (ADOS-2)

Requested Course Hours: 6 CS

Licensee: Casey Brown

Sponsor: Center for Disabilities Studies, ACCESS Project – Univ of Delaware

Program Title: Intro Pragmatic Organization Dynamic Display (PODD) – 2 day

Requested Course Hours: 12 CS

Licensee: Maureen Ringstrom

Sponsor: University of Delaware Center for Disabilities

Program Title: Systematic Processes for Enhancing and Assessing Communication Supports (SPEACS)

Requested Course Hours: 11.75 CS

Licensee: Jennifer Thomas

Sponsor: Advisory Board Fellowship

Program Title: Intensive 4: The Talent Multiplier

Requested Course Hours: 16 PG

Sponsor: Christiana Hospital

Program Title: Mild Cognitive Impairment and Dementia: Focus on Function

Requested Course Hours: 3.5 CS

Sponsor: Advisory Board Fellowship

Program Title: Intensive 6: The Envisioned Future

Requested Course Hours: 18 PG

Licensee: University of Delaware

Sponsor: University of Delaware

Program Title: Delaware's 24th Annual Inclusion Conference

Requested Course Hours: 4.5 PG

Licensee: Jacqueline Feldman
Sponsor: Dr. Norman Geller, Ph.D.
Program Title: ADOS-Z Clinical Training
Requested Course Hours: 14 CS

Licensee: Kristen Palmer
Sponsor: Christiana Care
Program Title: Current Trends in Speech Pathology: A Literature Review on Dysphagia
Requested Course Hours: 1 CS

Licensee: Arielle Allentoff
Sponsor: PESI
Program Title: Play & Language: The Roots of Literacy
Requested Course Hours: 6 CS

Ratification of Temp Application(s) for SLP

Ms. Coates made a motion, seconded by Dr. Cann, to ratify the temporary licenses for the names listed below. By unanimous vote, the motion carried.

1. Grace C. Koehler
2. Laura E. Grasley
3. Gabrielle N. May
4. Mary Kate Koziol
5. Julia A. Repko
6. Kristine A. Juan
7. Monica M. E. McNicholas
8. Lindsay E. Laurent
9. Alexis E. Coluccio

Ratification of Application(s) by Reciprocity for SLP

Dr. Inverso made a motion, seconded by Ms. Coates, to ratify the applications for reciprocity for the names listed below. By unanimous vote, the motion carried.

1. Tejaswi Gosu SLP
2. Caroline G. Walker SLP
3. Alexandra S. Martinson SLP
4. Stephanie H. Braun SLP
5. Matthew R. Braun SLP
6. Isabell M. Felker SLP
7. Maria L. Sanchez-Freeman SLP
8. Laura A. Molin SLP
9. Jessica E. Choi SLP
10. Judith E. Koza SLP
11. Richard A. Brisbane HAD

Ratification of HAD Application(s) by Reciprocity

Ms. Coates made a motion, seconded by Dr. Inverso, to ratify the HAD application by reciprocity for Robert G. Gammon. By unanimous vote, the motion carried.

Ratification of Application(s) for SLP/AUD/HAD

Ms. Coates made a motion, seconded by Ms. Cann, to ratify the applications for SLP/AUD/HAD for the names listed below. By unanimous vote, the motion carried.

1. Samantha J. Grubbs SLP
2. Christine T. Fenimore SLP

3. Lindsay J. Williams SLP
4. Janelle C. Manna SLP
5. Morgan E. Sinclair SLP
6. Michelle M. Fuster SLP
7. Amanda Maselli SLP

Ratification of Application by Certification for SLP/AUD/HAD

Dr. Inverso made a motion, seconded by Mr. Whitaker, to ratify the applications by certification for the names listed below. By unanimous vote, the motion carried.

1. Emily S. Trebilcock SLP
2. Diane B. Miles SLP
3. Catharine H. Ross SLP
4. Haylee B. Lamb AUD
5. Shuangshuang Shi AUD
6. Latoya N. Williams AUD
7. Elizabeth A. Crookshank SLP

*Mr. Whitaker made a motion, seconded by Ms. Coates to amend the agenda to review the application by certification for Kristin J. Allison.

Dr. Inverso made a motion, seconded by Ms. Cann to approve the application for certification for Kristin J. Allison. By unanimous vote, the motion carried.

Delegation of Authority to Fast-track Temp SLP to Permanent Licensure

The Board discussed giving authority to the Board Liaison to fast track an application once all information is received from the temporary licensee to permanent licensure. Dr. Inverso made a motion, seconded by Ms. Coates, to allow the Board Liaison to fast track temporary SLP to permanent licensure. By unanimous vote, the motion carried.

Election of Officers (Secretary)

Election of Secretary was done by secret ballot. By majority vote, Tonya Coates was elected as the new Secretary.

CORRESPONDENCE

The Board reviewed the documentation supplied by Ms. Regina Bilton and found it to be in compliance.

OTHER BUSINESS BEFORE THE BOARD FOR DISCUSSION ONLY

Shawna Slaughter, Deputy Director of Division of Professional Regulation addressed the Board about bill that has stalled and asked for input from the Board regarding the requirement for current certification. The Board held discussion on this potential language and Dr. Inverso stated that as an Audiologist, she personally felt that requiring ASHA or ABA certification would be limiting to hiring directors on the Audiology side and that the graduate program is responsible for ensuring that the "4th year" meets clinical standards, that it would be restrictive for the state board not to allow audiology applicants to submit their transcripts and copy of Praxis board examination scores in lieu of an AHSA card or ABA certification. Dr. Cann another audiologist member agreed. Dr. Inverso and Dr. Cann explained that this statement is not speaking on behalf of speech as the educational requirements for SLP are different than for Audiology. The Board determined by removing the requirement for the certification it puts the language back in regarding what was previously in the statute.

PUBLIC COMMENT

Christine Cook addressed the Board and wanted clarity about ASHA certification and required documentation for licensure, she also noted different States have different requirements. Ms. Cook would suggest the Board to consider how they would satisfy the requirement for an approved CFY if ASHA were not a requirement for an SLP license. She represented a concern that University of Delaware SLP program

has regarding the potential for an applicant to receive a Delaware license without the completion of an approved Clinical Fellowship Year (CFY). In response, the Board members stated that they believed the completion of a CFY is required in the current statute-language and would remain a requirement.

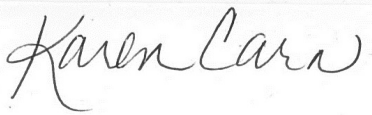
NEXT SCHEDULED MEETING

The next meeting will be held on Tuesday March 20, 2018 at 2:00 p.m., in Conference Room B, second floor of the Cannon Building, 861 Silver Lake Boulevard, Dover, Delaware.

ADJOURNMENT

Mr. Whitaker made a motion, seconded by Dr. Inverso, to adjourn the meeting. By unanimous vote the motion carried. There being no further business before the Board, the meeting adjourned at 4:44 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Karen Carn". The signature is written in dark ink on a light-colored background.

Karen Carn
Administrative Specialist II

The notes of this meeting are not intended to be a verbatim record of the topics that were presented or discussed. They are for the use of the Board members and the public in supplementing their personal notes and recall for presentations.